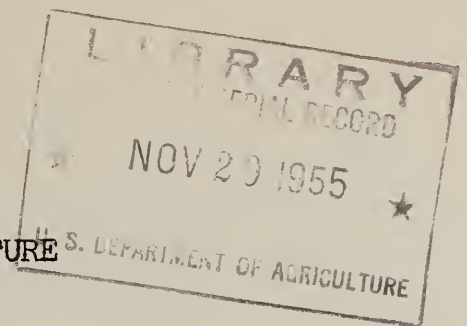


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ADE BRANCH MEMORANDUM NO. 506.4

To: All ADE Field Activities Stations  
From: A. F. Ranney, Chief, Tuberculosis Eradication Section  
Subject: Tuberculosis Accredited-Herd Certificate (ADE 6-14)

I PURPOSE

This memorandum is to explain the use of the seal which is affixed to the subject certificate to indicate herd accreditation.

II GENERAL

The certificate is designed so that it may be used for a considerable period of time. The new seal, bearing the current date of accreditation, is to be affixed each time the owner's herd has been accredited as tuberculosis-free. Since the same seal is used for both tuberculosis and brucellosis certificates, the supply is readily obtainable in the usual manner.

III SPECIAL NOTICE

The form ADE 6-14 is a prototype of the certificate for brucellosis-free herds. It was anticipated there would be little difficulty in placing the new form into use.

We solicit your comments or criticisms especially if you have experienced any difficulty with the issuance of these certificates. Such comments can enable us to consider revision or changes in the form when the present supply is to be replenished.

A F Ranney

